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THE NAME OF RUI DA COSTA HAS BEEN DELETED FROM THE REGISTER OF SPORTS CONTACTS WITH SOUTH AFRICA

The Special Committee against Apartheid has decided to delete the name of Mr. Rui da Costa, a Portuguese golf player living in Zimbabwe, from the Register of Sports Contacts with South Africa.

Mr. da Costa, in his 4 January letter to the Special Committee, states:

"... My motives for playing professional golf in South Africa were purely financial and were certainly not politically motivated and I would now request you to consider removing me from the [Register]. I have not returned to South Africa to participate in any tournaments since March 1988 and I have no intention of doing so in the future...."

(Sgd.) Rui da Costa

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